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SUBJECT: UNFDAC EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REQUEST FOR US GOOD
OFFICER IN ARRANGING VISIT TO CANADA

1. MR. DE BEUS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF UNFDAC, HAS INQUIRED WHETHER US MIGHT ASSIST IN HIS ARRANGING A VISIT TO OTTAWA DURING EARLY PART OF HIS VISIT TO THE US (NOV. 2 - 10). (HIS SHCHEDULE BEING SENT ADDRESSEES SEPTTEL). THE PURPOSE OF THE VISIT WOULD BE TO URGE OFFICIALS OF THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (CIDA) TO ACCEPT THE PRINCIPLE THAT DEVELOPMENT AID FUNDS ARE AN APPROPRIATE SOURCE OF FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT-RELATED NARCOTIC CROP REPLACEMENT PROJECTS. MR. DE BEUS HOPES TO PERSUADE CIDA TO FOLLOW THE LEAD OF SWEDEN AND NORWAY IN CONTRIBUTING TO DEVELOPMENT AID FUNDS TO THE UNFDAC FOR THIS PURPOSE.

2. MR. DE BEUS HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH THE CANADIAN AMBASSADOR IN GENEVA, WITH MR. GILLES LELANDE, VICE PRESIDENT OF CIDA MULTILATERAL BRANCH, AND WITH DR. DON SMITH, SENIOR SCIENTIST, DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE, CONCERNING HIS HOPE TO VISIT OTTAWA. HE RECENTLY WAS INFORMED BY LETTER FROM CANADIAN MISSION GENEVA EXPRESSING THE VIEW THAT A VISIT WOULD PROBABLY NOT BE PRODUCTIVE AT THIS TIME.

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3. IN VIEW OF US SUPPORT FOR CONCEPT THAT DEVELOPMENT FUNDS CAN BE UTILIZED FOR NARCOTICS RELATED PURPOSES AND DESIRABILITY OF CANADA ACCEPTING THIS IDEA AND INCREASING ITS CONTRIBUTION TO UNFDAC, MISSION BELIEVES THERE IS MERIT IN FUND'S SENDING MISSION TO OTTAWA TO DISCUSS TOPIC. THERE IS QUESTION, HOWEVER, WHETHER SUCH MISSION SHOULD BE

TIMED TO TAKE PLACE NOW OR NEXT SPRING. IF DEPARTMENT BELIEVES A MISSION NOW IS APPROPRIATE, MISSION SUGGESTS DEPARTMENT REQUEST AMEMBASSY OTTAWA TO PRESENT ARGUMENTS IN FAVOR OF PRINCIPLE AT ISSUE TO APPROPRIATE CIDA OFFICIALS, EXPRESSING OUR SUPPORT FOR THEM AND OUR VIEW THAT AN UNFDAC MISSION TO OTTAWA COULD BE PRODUCTIVE.

4. MISSION HAS AIR POUCHES UNFDAC BRIEFING MATERIALS ON ITS ACTIVITIES AND ON THE DEVELOPMENT AID QUESTION TO MR. COLEMAN NEE, NARCOTICS COORDINATOR, OTTAWA.

5. SHOULD THE CANADIANS AGREE TO A MISSION, THEY COULD CONTACT MR. DE BEUS IN NEW YORK (BARCLAY HOTEL) TO ARRANGE DETAILS. VANDEN HEUVEL

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